

Thomas B. Helm papers

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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Creator	Helm, THomas B., 1824-1889
Title	Thomas B. Helm papers
Date	1862-1871,1873-1888
Extent	0.3 Cubic feet 1 manuscript box
Language	English

Preferred Citation

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Biographical Note

Thomas B. Helm was born in Fayette County, Indiana to Samuel D. and Patience Wherrett Helm on Feb. 1, 1824. He was a teacher in Logansport, Indiana from 1844-1873. He married Mary E. Hense [House] in Carroll County, Indiana on Sept. 20, 1849, with whom he had one son, Henry, born around 1852. His second wife was Catherine P. Davis, whom he married on Jan. 2, 1859 in Cass County, Indiana. He was also the civil engineer and the probate commissioner for Cass County. He wrote the History of Cass County, Indiana in 1886 and the histories for other Indiana counties. He died Feb. 10, 1889 and is buried in the Ninth Street Cemetery, Logansport.

Information from 2007 finding aid.

"Helm, Thomas B.". 1860 United States Federal Census. Retrieved 2016/01/22. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

"Helm, Thomas B.". Find a Grave Memorial. Retrieved 2016/01/22. <http://www.findagrave.com>

"Helm, Thomas B.". Indiana, Marriage Index, 1802-1892. Retrieved 2016/01/22. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

"Helm, Thomas B.". Indiana, Marriage Index, 1800-1941. Retrieved 2016/01/22. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

Scope and Contents

This collection includes autographed diaries from Thomas B. Helm in Logansport, Indiana ranging from 1862 to 1888 regarding weather, family and local events.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged chronologically.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

Collection processing completed 2007/10 by Alison Smith. EAD finding aid created 2016/01/22 by Edythe Huffman.

Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Diaries

Geographic Name(s)

- Carroll County (Ind.)
- Cass County (Ind.)
- Logansport (Ind.)

Subject(s)

- Family history
- Local history
- Weather forecasting

Collection Inventory

	Box	Object
Diaries, 1862-1871;1873-1888	1	1-26